

JOHN WONT DO IT

The Pig-Tailed Coolies Refuse to Register

BY ORDER OF THE SIX GANGS

A Proclamation Issued Declaring That It is Against Their Interests to Register.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 11.—The powerful Chinese organization known as the "Six Companies," which has been regulating Chinese affairs in this country, has issued a proclamation forbidding all Chinese to comply with the terms of the Geary law requiring them to register, have themselves identified by two white witnesses, and are photographed before April 15, 1893. The proclamation states that the masters of the law is objectionable and detrimental to their interests. It continues: "Our countrymen must live in the United States without being registered. Our countrymen must not get registered, and if one should do so on his own account he must not come to us in case he gets into trouble in this country. The 'Six Companies' will pay no attention to him. When a man does it (register), he loses his respectability in the eyes of his countrymen. This applies to Chinamen living in any part of the country, and in small towns as well as large cities. If by registering to register any man is arrested, imprisoned or otherwise, he can depend on the 'Six Companies' for relief."

Required to Organize. The proclamation states that all Chinese are required to organize and subscribe money for the employment of legal aid, and, if necessary, to enlist the services of the Chinese ambassador to fight against this unjust law. Each Chinese resident in the United States is required to pay \$1 to the six companies for the expense of a suit to test the legality of the law, and this money must be paid before the Chinese September. The organizers have sent for not pay will be prevented from returning to his own country when he applies to the six companies for his pass.

Collectors at first refused to believe the Chinese had taken the bait and their teeth bared. After reading the translation of the proclamation he said that the Chinese had so far neglected to register, but he did not believe they would absolutely refuse to do so. The law does not only state that after May 5 Chinese without registration certificates must be deported, but it also carries an extra penalty of imprisonment for not over one year. There is another provision which provides for punishment of those who refuse to register.

ENGINEERS' STRIKE IMMINENT.

Held Back Only Through Fear of Firemen Supplementing Them.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—Indications point strongly to a strike of the employees of the Reading system which would cripple the lines from this city and New York. The strike would be on the Lehigh Valley, New Jersey Central and Philadelphia and Reading railroads. The committee of employees which conferred with President McLeod Friday is still here, and is preparing for a further conference Monday. The engineers have sent for P. M. Arthur, who happened to be at Altoona, Pa., and he will be here in the morning. P. H. Morrison, chief of the Brakemen's union; S. A. Wilkinson, chief of the Trainmen's brotherhood; Chief Ramsey of the telegraph operators' organization and the chief clerk of the conductors' organization have been summoned. Ramsey is now on his way here from the west.

F. P. Sargent, the head of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, was telegraphed for in Cincinnati, but sent word that he could not come here on account of the business of the annual convention. This is looked upon with some distrust by the engineers. There is no means a strong bond of sympathy and co-operation between the two organizations of engineers and firemen, and what one of the engineers says that Mr. McLeod told him Saturday has cast a shadow of depression over the engineers. Mr. McLeod, it is alleged, told one of the engineers that the company was paying 200,000 dollars to the employees who were prepared and only waiting to take the place of the engineers in the event of a strike. Engineers Schaefer and Grakelow of the Board Brook division declared they were dissatisfied with the terms they would not leave the brotherhood. The men claim that money is deducted from their salaries at the end of the month for the Reading relief fund and that if they should be discharged or leave the service of the company they cannot recover any of this money. Some of the men believe that unless they make the night now the Lehigh Valley and Jersey Central will be taken out of the list.

TWO KANSAS DEFAULTERS.

Auditor and Treasurer of a Western Investment Company Arrested.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Sept. 11.—Montgomery H. Lewis, late auditor, and H. W. Lee, late treasurer of the Western Investment Company, which had offices in this city, New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and London, are in the city of Mexico and were there about 10,000 of the company's money. Lewis as auditor had access to all the books and it was for him to manipulate the figures, which he did in a dozen ways. Russell as treasurer handled the reports and mail for the company and he was the one who made the false entries of the sale of bonds on which there was accrued interest. Sometimes he took cash from the safe, accounting for it by false entries on the cash books or by false drafts. The pair left the company early in the summer and it was by accident that the defalcations were discovered. Had affairs in the office of the Western Investment company run along in their ordinary channel, it would probably have been months before the defalcations were discovered. In the latter part of July, or early in August, an expert accountant came here from Philadelphia to check up and audit the books of the company. In doing this they stumbled across one page of Lewis' journal, that did not balance. Lewis was quite intimate with Russell, the treasurer of the company. From this arose the suspicion that Russell's books might show that he was a sto-

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NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Senator Isaac Hill is going to come in and register, although there won't be any public ceremonies over the event, and he will be probably over laid upon the neck of his old rival. Neither will he old rival fall upon Senator Dave's neck. It is known with little room for doubt, that Mr. Cleveland invited Senator Dave to come along with Ed Murphy, Billy Sheehan and Dick Croker the other night and have something with him. It is equally certain that Senator Dave declined with thanks. That's why only four of the five covers laid in the private dining room of the Victoria hotel, were covered. Senator Dave sent a message, however, that he wasn't near as mad as most folks made him out to be, and that, being a democrat, he was going to work for the democratic ticket and democratic principles, irrespective of their personal attachments. He further declared, from between the lips of "Billy" Sheehan, that when he has no more devoted friend, that he was willing to speak in the interest of good democratic principles and urge all good democrats to vote for the ticket nominated at Chicago. This was not exactly as Mr. Cleveland would have liked it, but it was the best obtainable, and he expressed satisfaction and sent a message of thanks to the senator.

Will Open in Brooklyn.

The first appearance of Mr. Hill as a talker for the ticket will occur in about two weeks, when it is understood he will open the campaign in Brooklyn. The present plans contemplate ten or a dozen speeches by him, and he can talk about anything he likes so it advances the interests of the democratic ticket. It is not probable that the senator will endorse very much for the candidates, though Mr. Stevenson, who won the senator's regard some years ago, may come in for a passing on the back. The force bill will probably be rushed forward as the dominant issue. All of Mr. Hill's speeches, with a few moral observations about the duty of every good democrat to his party. The democratic managers are inclined to make more out of Mr. Hill's redemption than warranted by facts, and rumors which apparently have been set on foot in official circles as to what Mr. Hill and Mr. Cleveland may yet speak from the same platform. To a politician who knows the real lay of the land this statement is absurd. Hill will work for the democratic ticket and work hard, but his efforts will be inspired for his sincere loyalty to democratic principles and not by his personal friendship for Mr. Cleveland. Hill is too manly to recant to such an extent as that implied by reports which represent him as stolidifying his position.

COMPANY AT LOON LAKE.

Mrs. Harrison's Condition Not Improving—Physician Sent For.

LOON LAKE, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Mrs. Gen. U. S. Grant and Mrs. Bishop Newman arrived here tonight and were the guests of President Harrison. They intend to spend the rest of the summer at Sackett's Harbor, Mrs. but they will likely change their plans and return to New York. The ladies were taken to what is known here as the "Winter Cottage," and were entertained by the ladies of the presidential household. Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Newman took dinner with President Harrison and family in the private dining room, and the afternoon went driving behind a four-in-hand. There has been an unsatisfactory change in Mrs. Harrison's condition, and Dr. Gardner was summoned. He arrived from Washington this morning and will remain here indefinitely.

VISIT TO VENIZUELA.

Admiral Walker's Instructions Point to a Very Important Mission.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The instructions to Admiral Walker on his departure with the squadron to Venezuela are very important. They are to protect the freedom of intervention of the United States to the Venezuelan authorities for the purpose of preventing the final absorption of the territory by Great Britain, to restore the boundaries as they existed prior to 1877, and to obtain some form of recognition to the territory of the question of the title to the territory in dispute.

Still After Peck's Figures.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Ex-Senator Norton Chase of Albany has telegraphed to E. K. Riker Anderson, that he has obtained an order from Judge Edwards requiring Charles W. Peck, co-manager of the Democratic Labor, to show cause before Judge Anderson next Monday why he should not comply with the demand of Mr. Anderson and his associates to exhibit to them the letters and documents upon which his famous report, "Land and Water," was based.

Minister Porter Coming Home.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—President Harrison is said to be the only person who knows what Minister Porter's instructions are. However, little doubt exists that the Minister to Rome ordered of diplomatic life and is coming back to the United States in live. He will probably remain at his post until after the September elections. The successor is likely to be some one already serving as minister.

Seeking for Revenue.

If you know anything worth knowing, and which the people ought to know, it is worth knowing. Don't you know that it is your duty to let us know it? That the people ought to know, and that they can't know unless you let us know the things which you know will be good for all